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GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST

Series U

Equipment Trust Agreement

Dated as of April 1, 1972

BETWEEN

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee

AND

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY

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EQUIPMENT TRUST AGREEMENT, dated as of April 1, 1972, between ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, a trust company duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, as Trustee (hereinafter called the Trustee) and GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Mississippi (hereinafter called the Railroad).

WHEREAS, the Railroad has contracted or will contract for the construction and transfer to the Trustee of the railroad equipment described herein; and

WHEREAS, title to such railroad equipment is to be vested in and is to be retained by the Trustee, and such railroad equipment is to be leased to the Railroad hereunder until title is transferred under the provisions hereof; and

WHEREAS, Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Equipment Trust Certificates, Series U (hereinafter called Trust Certificates), are to be issued and sold in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$4,215,000, and the net proceeds (as hereinafter defined) of such sale together with such other cash, if any, as may be required to be deposited by the Railroad as hereinafter provided is to constitute a fund equal to the aggregate principal amount of Trust Certificates so issued and sold to be known as GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST, SERIES U, to be applied by the Trustee from time to time in part payment of the cost of the Trust Equipment, the remainder of the cost thereof to be paid out of advance rentals to be paid by the Railroad as provided herein; and

WHEREAS, the texts of the Trust Certificates, the dividend warrants to be attached to the Trust Certificates with dividend warrants, and the guaranty to be endorsed thereon by the Railroad are to be substantially in the following forms, respectively:

[FORM OF FULLY REGISTERED TRUST CERTIFICATE]

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No.

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST,
SERIES U

EQUIPMENT TRUST CERTIFICATE

Total Authorized Issue \$4,215,000

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, Trustee

Dividends at the Rate of % Per Annum Payable
April 1 and October 1

Principal hereof payable April 1, 19 .

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee under an Equipment Trust Agreement dated as of April 1, 1972, between ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, Trustee (hereinafter called the Trustee), and GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY (hereinafter called the Railroad), hereby certifies that

, or registered assigns, is entitled to an interest in the principal amount of \$ in GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST, SERIES U, payable on April 1, 19 , upon presentation and surrender of this Certificate to the Trustee at its principal office in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, or, at the option of the person entitled thereto, at the agency of the Trustee in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and to payment, until said last mentioned date, of dividends on said principal amount at the rate of % per annum from the date hereof, payable semiannually on April 1 and October 1 in each year, at said office or agency of the Trustee, with interest at said dividend rate on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, but payable only out of rentals or other moneys received by the Trustee and applicable to such payment under the provisions of said Agreement.

This Certificate is one of an issue of Certificates of serial maturities, and having an aggregate principal amount not exceeding

\$4,215,000, all issued or to be issued under and subject to the terms of said Agreement, under which certain railroad equipment leased to the Railroad (or cash or direct obligations of the United States of America in lieu thereof, as provided in said Agreement) is held by the Trustee in trust for the benefit of the holders of the interests represented by said Certificates, to which Agreement (a copy of which is on file with the Trustee at its principal office in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri) reference is made for a full statement of the rights and obligations of the Railroad, the duties and immunities of the Trustee and the rights of the holder hereof thereunder.

The Certificates are issuable as bearer Certificates with dividend warrants attached, registrable as to principal, in the denomination of \$1,000, and as fully registered Certificates in the denominations of \$1,000 and any multiple of \$1,000. This Certificate is exchangeable in whole, or in part if in a denomination greater than \$1,000, without charge to the holder hereof, for a Certificate or Certificates with dividend warrants, each of the denomination of \$1,000, of the same maturity as this Certificate, having all unmatured dividend warrants attached and, in the case of a partial exchange, for such other fully registered Certificates as shall together equal the aggregate principal amount of this Certificate, all upon presentation hereof for such purpose at said office or agency of the Trustee, but only in the manner and subject to the limitations provided in said Agreement.

This Certificate is transferable by the registered holder hereof in person or by duly authorized attorney on the books of the Trustee upon surrender to the Trustee at its said office or agency of this Certificate accompanied by a written instrument of transfer, duly executed by the registered holder in person or by such attorney, in form satisfactory to the Trustee, and thereupon a new fully registered Certificate or Certificates in authorized denominations for the same aggregate principal amount and having the same date of maturity will be issued to the transferee in exchange herefor. The Trustee and the Railroad may treat the person in whose name this Certificate is registered as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of receiving payment of principal and dividends and for all other purposes, and shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

In case of default in the performance or observance of any of the covenants of the Railroad in said Agreement contained, the principal amount represented by this Certificate may be declared due and payable, as provided in said Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustee has caused this Certificate to be signed by the facsimile signature of a Vice President and its corporate seal, in facsimile, to be hereunto affixed and to be attested by an Assistant Secretary.

Dated:

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By _____
Vice President

ATTEST:

Assistant Secretary

[FORM OF GUARANTY FOR FULLY REGISTERED TRUST CERTIFICATES]

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, for a valuable consideration, hereby unconditionally guarantees to the registered holder of the within Certificate the prompt payment of the principal of said Certificate and of the dividends thereon specified in said Certificate, with interest at the dividend rate on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in accordance with the terms of said Certificate and the Equipment Trust Agreement referred to therein.

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY,

By _____
Senior Vice President

[FORM OF TRUST CERTIFICATE WITH DIVIDEND WARRANTS]

\$1,000

No.

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST,
SERIES U

EQUIPMENT TRUST CERTIFICATE

Total Authorized Issue \$4,215,000

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, Trustee
Dividends at the Rate of % Per Annum Payable
April 1 and October 1

Principal hereof payable April 1, 19 .

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee under an Equipment Trust Agreement dated as of April 1, 1972, between ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY, Trustee (hereinafter called the Trustee), and GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY (hereinafter called the Railroad), hereby certifies that the bearer, or, if this Certificate is registered as to principal, the registered holder hereof, is entitled to an interest in the principal amount of One Thousand Dollars in GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST, SERIES U, payable on April 1, 19 , upon presentation and surrender of this Certificate to the Trustee at its principal office in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, or, at the option of the person entitled thereto, at the agency of the Trustee in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and to payment, until said last mentioned date, of dividends on said principal amount at the rate of % per annum from April 1, 1972, semiannually on April 1 and October 1 in each year, according to the tenor of the dividend warrants hereto annexed upon presentation and surrender of such warrants, as they severally mature, to the Trustee at said office or agency, with interest at the dividend warrant rate on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, but payable only out of rentals or other moneys received by the Trustee and applicable to such payment under the provisions of said Agreement.

This Certificate is one of an issue of Certificates of serial maturities, and having an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$4,215,000 all issued or to be issued under and subject to the terms of said Agreement, under which certain railroad equipment leased to the Railroad (or cash or direct obligations of the United States of America in lieu thereof, as provided in said Agreement) is held by the Trustee in trust for the benefit of the holders of the interests represented by said Certificates, to which Agreement (a copy of which is on file with the Trustee at its principal office in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri) reference is made for a full statement of the rights and obligations of the Railroad, the duties and immunities of the Trustee and the rights of the holder hereof thereunder.

The Certificates are issuable as bearer Certificates with dividend warrants attached, registrable as to principal, in the denomination of \$1,000, and as fully registered certificates in the denominations of \$1,000 and any multiple of \$1,000. This Certificate is *not* exchangeable for a fully registered Certificate.

This Certificate may be registered as to principal at the principal office of the Trustee in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, or at the agency of the Trustee in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, in the name of the holder hereof, and such registration noted hereon by or on behalf of the Trustee. Thereafter title to the interest represented by this Certificate shall pass only by transfer registered at said office or agency unless and until a transfer to bearer shall have been similarly registered and noted hereon. Such registration shall apply only to the principal of this Certificate and not to the dividend warrants hereunto attached, which shall continue to be payable to bearer and transferable by delivery.

Every taker and holder of this Certificate and of the attached warrants, by accepting the same, agrees with the Trustee, with the Railroad and with every subsequent taker and holder hereof and thereof that this Certificate (unless registered in the name of the holder) and such warrants shall be transferable with the same effect as in the case of a negotiable instrument payable to bearer, by delivery by any person having possession of the same, respectively, however such possession may have been acquired; and the Trustee and

the Railroad may treat the bearer of this Certificate, or the registered holder hereof if this Certificate be registered in his name as above provided, and the bearer of any dividend warrant attached hereto whether or not this Certificate be so registered, as the absolute owner of this Certificate or of said warrants, as the case may be, for all purposes, and shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

In case of default in the performance or observance of any of the covenants of the Railroad in said Agreement contained, the principal amount represented by this Certificate may be declared due and payable, as provided in said Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustee has caused this Certificate to be signed by the facsimile signature of a Vice President and its corporate seal, in facsimile, to be hereunto affixed and to be attested by an Assistant Secretary and dividend warrants bearing the facsimile signature of a Vice President to be attached hereto, as of April 1, 1972.

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By
Vice President

ATTEST:

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Assistant Secretary

[FORM OF DIVIDEND WARRANT]

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No.

Due to the bearer hereof on the first day of _____, 19____,
on surrender hereof at the principal office of the undersigned Trustee
in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, or at its agency in the Bor-
ough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, \$ _____, being the
semiannual dividend then due on Certificate No. _____ of

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD EQUIPMENT TRUST, SERIES U, payable only out of rentals or other moneys received by the undersigned and applicable to such payment under the provisions of the Equipment Trust Agreement dated as of April 1, 1972, referred to in said Certificate and as therein provided.

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By
Vice President

[FORM OF GUARANTY FOR TRUST CERTIFICATES WITH DIVIDEND WARRANTS]

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, for a valuable consideration, hereby unconditionally guarantees to the bearer or registered holder of the within Certificate, and to the bearer or bearers of the dividend warrants appertaining thereto, respectively, the prompt payment of the principal of said Certificate, and of the dividends thereon specified in the dividend warrants thereto attached, with interest at the dividend warrant rate on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in accordance with the terms of said Certificate and the Equipment Trust Agreement referred to therein.

GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY,

By
Senior Vice President

WHEREAS, it is desired to secure to the holders of the Trust Certificates the payment of the principal thereof in 15 annual installments payable serially on April 1 in each year beginning April 1, 1973, and ending April 1, 1987, both inclusive, as hereinafter more particularly provided, with dividends to said dates of maturity, respectively, as hereinafter provided, payable semiannually on April 1 and October 1 in each year, and to evidence the rights of the holders of the Trust

Certificates in substantially the form hereinbefore set forth;

Now, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises herein contained, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

DEFINITIONS

For all purposes of this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:

Affiliate of the Railroad shall mean any corporation which directly or indirectly controls or is controlled by, or is under common control with, the Railroad. For the purposes of this definition, *control* (including *controlled by* and *under common control with*), as used with respect to any person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such person, whether through the ownership of voting securities or by contract or otherwise.

Cost, when used with respect to Trust Equipment, shall mean the actual cost thereof, and shall include only such items as may properly be included in such cost under the Interstate Commerce Commission's Uniform System of Accounts for Railroad Companies, as in effect at the time in question, or the accounting rules of such other Federal governmental authority having jurisdiction over the accounts of the Railroad, or to the extent not determined thereby or in case there be no such accounting rules of the Interstate Commerce Commission or other Federal authority in effect at such time, sound accounting practice.

Deposited Cash shall mean the aggregate of (a) cash on deposit with the Trustee as provided in the first sentence of Section 2.1 hereof, (b) any advance rental on deposit with the Trustee pursuant to Section 4.4(A)(1) hereof, (c) any sums restored to Deposited Cash from rentals pursuant to Section 4.4(B) (1)(b) hereof and on deposit with the Trustee and (d), when required or indicated by the context, any Government Securities purchased by the use of Deposited Cash pursuant to the provisions of Section 7.8 hereof and held by the Trustee.

Equipment means new standard-gauge railroad equipment, other than passenger equipment or work equipment of types other than locomotives.

The *Fair Value* of any unit of Trust Equipment shall be deemed to be the Cost thereof, less an amount representing depreciation on such unit arising from reasonable wear and tear to be determined by the method in use at the time in standard railroad practice for determining such depreciation (but in no event exceeding 1/15th of the Cost thereof per annum).

Government Securities shall mean bonds, notes or other direct obligations of the United States of America.

The word *holder*, when used with respect to Trust Certificates, shall include the plural as well as the singular number and, unless otherwise indicated by the context, shall mean and include the bearer of a Trust Certificate with dividend warrants not registered as to principal, the bearer of a dividend warrant, the registered owner of a Trust Certificate registered as to principal and the registered owner of a fully registered Trust Certificate.

Officer's Certificate shall mean a certificate signed by the President or a Vice President or the Comptroller of the Railroad.

Opinion of Counsel shall mean an opinion of counsel (who may be of counsel to the Railroad) satisfactory to the Trustee.

Railroad shall mean Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company, its successors and assigns.

Request shall mean a written request for the action therein specified signed on behalf of the Railroad by the President or the Senior Vice President or the Treasurer or the Comptroller of the Railroad and delivered to the Trustee.

Trust Certificates shall mean Gulf, Mobile and Ohio Railroad Equipment Trust Certificates, Series U, issued hereunder, and *dividend*

warrants shall mean dividend warrants attached or appertaining to Trust Certificates.

Trust Equipment shall mean all Equipment at the time subject to the terms of this Agreement.

Trustee shall mean St. Louis Union Trust Company, a trust company duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, and any successor as trustee hereunder.

All references herein to *Articles*, *Sections* and other subdivisions refer to the corresponding Articles, Sections and other subdivisions of this Agreement; and the words *herein*, *hereof*, *hereby*, *hereto*, *hereunder* and words of similar import refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular Article, Section or subdivision hereof.

ARTICLE II

TRUST CERTIFICATES AND ISSUANCE THEREOF

SECTION 2.1. The net proceeds (excluding premium and accrued dividends, if any) of the sale of any of the Trust Certificates shall forthwith upon issuance thereof be deposited in cash with the Trustee. At the same time the Railroad shall, if necessary, deposit with the Trustee any advance rental payable by the Railroad to the Trustee under Section 4.4(A)(1) hereof. Thereupon, without waiting for the recording or filing of this Agreement or of any other instrument respecting the Trust Equipment, the Trustee shall issue and deliver, as the Railroad shall direct by Request, Trust Certificates substantially in the form set forth herein, and in the aggregate principal amount so sold. Any premium and accrued dividends received upon the sale of the Trust Certificates shall forthwith be paid to the Railroad.

SECTION 2.2. Each of the Trust Certificates shall represent an interest in the principal amount therein specified in the trust created hereunder and shall bear dividends on said principal amount at the rate per annum specified in a Request delivered to the Trustee, payable semiannually on April 1 and October 1 in each year.

The aggregate principal amount of Trust Certificates which shall be executed and delivered by the Trustee hereunder shall not exceed

such wearing out, unsuitableness for use, loss or destruction. Cash deposited with the Trustee pursuant to this Section 4.7 shall be held and applied as provided in Section 4.9 hereof.

The Railroad covenants and agrees to furnish to the Trustee, whenever required by the Trustee, and at least once in every calendar year following the calendar year in which occurs the first delivery of any of the Trust Equipment and during the continuance of the lease provided for herein, an Officer's Certificate stating (1) the amount, description and numbers of the Trust Equipment then covered hereby and showing the Trust Equipment then in actual service, (2) the amount, description and numbers of all that may have become worn out, or that may have become unsuitable for use or lost or destroyed by accident or otherwise since the date of the last preceding statement, and (3) the amount, description and numbers of all then undergoing repairs, other than running repairs, or then withdrawn from use for such repairs, and stating that in the case of all the Trust Equipment repainted or repaired since the date of the last preceding statement the plates or marks required by Section 4.6 hereof have been preserved, or that the same when repainted or repaired have been again plated or marked as required thereby. The Trustee, by its agents, shall have the right once in each calendar year, but shall be under no duty, to inspect, at the expense of the Railroad, the Trust Equipment, and the Railroad covenants in that event to furnish to the Trustee all reasonable facilities for the making of such inspection.

SECTION 4.8. The Railroad, so long as it is not in default hereunder, shall be entitled to the possession of the Trust Equipment from and after delivery thereof to the Railroad, and the use thereof upon the lines of railroad owned or operated by the Railroad (either alone or jointly with another) or by any Affiliate, or upon lines over which the Railroad or any Affiliate shall have trackage or other operating rights, and the Railroad shall also be entitled to permit the use of the Trust Equipment upon connecting and other railroads in the usual interchange of traffic and upon connecting and other railroads over which through service may from time to time be afforded, but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

The Railroad shall not, without first obtaining the written consent of the Trustee, assign or transfer its rights hereunder, or transfer or

sublet the Trust Equipment or any part thereof except to an Affiliate; and the Railroad shall not, without such written consent, except as provided in this Section 4.8, part with the possession of, or suffer or allow to pass out of its possession or control, any of the Trust Equipment. An assignment or transfer to a railroad company or other purchaser which shall acquire all or substantially all the lines of railroad of the Railroad, and which, by execution of an appropriate instrument satisfactory to the Trustee, shall assume and agree to perform each and all of the obligations and covenants of the Railroad hereunder and under the guaranty endorsed on the Trust Certificates, shall not be deemed a breach of this covenant. The appointment of a receiver or receivers in equity or reorganization or a trustee or trustees in bankruptcy or reorganization for the Railroad or for its property shall be deemed an unauthorized assignment unless, prior to any action by the Trustee to exercise the remedies herein provided, such receiver or receivers or trustee or trustees shall be discharged or such receiver or receivers or trustee or trustees shall, pursuant to court order or decree, in writing duly assume and agree to pay or perform each and all of the obligations and covenants of the Railroad hereunder and under the guaranty endorsed on the Trust Certificates, in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such receiver or receivers or trustee or trustees. The Trustee shall have the right to declare the lease provided for herein terminated in case of any unauthorized assignment or transfer of its rights hereunder or in case of any unauthorized transfer or sublease of any of the Trust Equipment. The election of the Trustee to terminate the lease provided for herein shall have the same effect as the retaking of the Trust Equipment by the Trustee as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 4.9. Any units of the Trust Equipment which shall have become worn out or unsuitable in any respect for the use of the Railroad may be released, and it is hereby mutually agreed that at any time hereafter until title thereto shall become vested in the Railroad the Trustee will release any such units of the Trust Equipment upon the filing with it of a Request and an Officer's Certificate which shall describe such units, shall state that they have become worn out or unsuitable for the use of the Railroad, shall state the selling price thereof, and shall specify the Cost and the then Fair Value thereof.

such corporation meets the requirements of the last sentence of Section 7.10 hereof, shall be the successor trustee hereunder without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VIII

MISCELLANEOUS

SECTION 8.1. Any request or other instrument provided by this Agreement to be signed or executed by holders of Trust Certificates may be in any number of concurrent instruments of similar tenor, and may be executed by such holders in person or by an agent or attorney appointed by an instrument in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request or other instrument, or of a writing appointing any such agent or attorney, or of the holding by any person of Trust Certificates, shall be sufficient for any purpose hereof and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by the Trustee under such request or other instrument if made in the following manner, viz.:

(a) The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such request or of any other instrument in writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness to such execution, or by the certificate of any notary public or of any other officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds to be recorded in the state where the acknowledgment may be taken, certifying that the person signing such request or other instrument acknowledged to him the execution thereof.

(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same, may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depository, wheresoever situated, whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory, showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with or exhibited to such depository the Trust Certificates numbered and described

in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

(c) The ownership of fully registered Trust Certificates and Trust Certificates with dividend warrants registered as to principal shall be determined by the registry books to be kept as provided in Section 7.3 hereof.

SECTION 8.2. Nothing expressed or implied herein is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or to give to any person, firm or corporation, other than the parties hereto and the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants, any right, remedy or claim under or by reason of this Agreement or of any term, covenant or condition hereof, and all the terms, covenants, conditions, promises and agreements contained herein shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the parties hereto and their successors and of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 8.3. Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

SECTION 8.4. All demands, notices and communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if personally delivered or mailed by registered mail (a) to the Railroad, to 104 St. Francis Street, Mobile, Alabama 36601, or to such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Trustee in writing by the Railroad and (b) to the Trustee, to 510 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101, or to such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Railroad in writing by the Trustee. An affidavit by any person representing or acting on behalf of the Railroad or the Trustee, as to such mailing, having the registry receipt attached, shall be conclusive evidence of the giving of such demand, notice or communication.

SECTION 8.5. This Agreement has been simultaneously executed in several counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original, and all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

SECTION 8.6. This Agreement shall be deemed to have been executed on the date of the acknowledgment thereof by the officer of the Trustee who signed it on behalf of the Trustee.

SECTION 8.7. The provisions of this Agreement, and all the rights and obligations of the parties hereunder, shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused their names to be signed hereto by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized and their respective corporate seals, duly attested, to be hereunto affixed as of the date first written.

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By



Vice President

ATTEST:

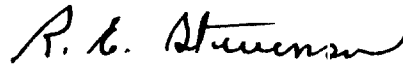


Assistant Secretary

[Corporate Seal]

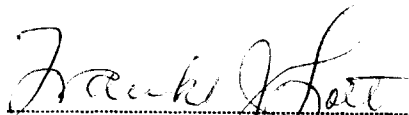
GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY,

By



Senior Vice President

ATTEST:



Assistant Secretary

Vice President and Secretary

[Corporate Seal]

STATE OF MISSOURI }
CITY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.:

On this day of ~~MAY~~, 1972, before me personally appeared
H. W. HARDIN, to me personally known, who, being by me duly
sworn, says that he is a Vice President of ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST
COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is
the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed
and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of
Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing
instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission expires **AUG 1 - 1974**

Louis J. Thym
Notary Public.

LOUIS J. THYM

[Notarial Seal]

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF MOBILE } ss.:

On this ~~21st~~ day of *March*, 1972, before me personally appeared
R. E. Stevenson, to me personally known, who, being by me duly
sworn, says that he is Senior Vice President of GULF, MOBILE AND
OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing
instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instru-
ment was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority
of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of
the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission expires

My Commission Expires June 30, 1975

J. J. Steiner
Notary Public.

[Notarial Seal]

the Trustee from the Railroad of rentals then or thereafter due and payable, and the Railroad shall be and remain liable for the same until such sums shall have been realized as, with the proceeds of the lease or sale of the Trust Equipment, shall be sufficient for the discharge and payment in full of all the items mentioned in Section 4.4 hereof (other than dividends or interest not then accrued), whether or not they shall have then matured. The holders of a majority in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates shall have the right from time to time to direct which of the proceedings above provided for shall be taken for enforcement of the remedies contained herein.

SECTION 5.3. If, in case of the happening of any event of default, the Trustee shall exercise any of the powers conferred upon it by Sections 5.1 and 5.2 hereof, all payments made by the Railroad to the Trustee hereunder after such event of default, and the proceeds of any judgment collected hereunder from the Railroad by the Trustee, and the proceeds of every sale or lease by the Trustee of any of the Trust Equipment, together with any other sums which may then be held by the Trustee under any of the provisions hereof (other than sums held in trust for the payment of specific Trust Certificates and/or dividend warrants), shall be applied by the Trustee to the payment in the following order of priority: (a) of all proper charges, expenses or advances made or incurred by the Trustee in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, and (b) of the dividends then due, with interest on overdue dividends at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable, and of the principal of all the outstanding Trust Certificates, with interest thereon at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable from the last preceding dividend date, whether such Trust Certificates shall have then matured by their terms or not, all such payments to be in full if such proceeds shall be sufficient, and if not sufficient, then *pro rata* without preference between principal and dividends.

After all such payments shall have been made in full, the title to any of the Trust Equipment remaining unsold shall be conveyed by the Trustee to the Railroad free from any further liabilities or obligations to the Trustee hereunder. If after applying all such sums of money realized by the Trustee as aforesaid there shall remain

any amount due to the Trustee under the provisions hereof, the Railroad agrees to pay the amount of such deficit to the Trustee. If after applying as aforesaid the sums of money realized by the Trustee there shall remain a surplus in the possession of the Trustee, such surplus shall be paid to the Railroad.

SECTION 5.4. If at any time after the principal of all the Trust Certificates shall have been declared and become due and payable or if at any time after the entire amount of rentals shall have been declared and become due and payable, all as in Section 5.1 hereof provided, but before April 1, 1987, all arrears of rent (with interest at the dividend rate upon any overdue installments to the extent legally enforceable), the expenses and reasonable compensation of the Trustee, together with all expenses of the trust occasioned by the Railroad's default, and all other sums which shall have become due and payable by the Railroad hereunder (other than the principal of Trust Certificates and any other rental installments which shall not at the time have matured according to their terms), shall be paid by the Railroad before any sale or lease by the Trustee of any of the Trust Equipment, and every other default in the observance or performance of any covenant or condition hereof shall be made good or secured to the satisfaction of the Trustee, or provision deemed by the Trustee to be adequate shall be made therefor, then, and in every such case, the Trustee, if so requested by the holders of a majority in principal amount of the Trust Certificates then outstanding and which shall not have matured (other than by declaration) according to their terms, shall by written notice to the Railroad waive the default by reason of which there shall have been such declaration or declarations and the consequences of such default, but no such waiver shall extend to or affect any subsequent default or impair any right consequent thereon.

SECTION 5.5. No retaking of possession of the Trust Equipment by the Trustee, or any withdrawal, lease or sale thereof, nor any action or failure or omission to act against the Railroad or in respect of the Trust Equipment, on the part of the Trustee or on the part of the holder of any Trust Certificate or dividend warrant, nor any delay or indulgence granted to the Railroad by the Trustee or by any such holder, shall affect the obligations of the Railroad hereunder or the

obligations of the Railroad under the guaranty endorsed on the Trust Certificates. The Railroad hereby waives presentation and demand in respect of any of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants and waives notice of presentation, of demand and of any default in the payment of the principal of and dividends on the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 5.6. In case the Trustee shall demand possession of the Trust Equipment pursuant to the provisions hereof and shall reasonably designate a point or points upon the railroad of the Railroad or of any Affiliate for the delivery of the Trust Equipment to it, the Railroad shall at its own expense forthwith and in the usual manner cause the Trust Equipment to be moved to such point or points on such railroads as shall be designated by the Trustee and shall there deliver or cause to be delivered the same to the Trustee, or the Trustee may at its option keep the Trust Equipment on any of the lines of railroad or premises of the Railroad or of any Affiliate until the Trustee shall have leased, sold or otherwise disposed of the same, and for such purpose the Railroad agrees to furnish without charge for rent or storage the necessary facilities at any convenient point or points selected by the Trustee. It is hereby expressly covenanted and agreed that the performance of this covenant is of the essence of this Agreement and that upon application to any court having jurisdiction in the premises, the Trustee shall be entitled to a decree against the Railroad requiring the specific performance thereof.

SECTION 5.7. The remedies in this Agreement provided in favor of the Trustee and the holders of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants, or any of them, shall not be deemed exclusive, but shall be cumulative, and shall be in addition to all other remedies in their favor existing at law or in equity.

ARTICLE VI

ADDITIONAL COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS BY THE RAILROAD

SECTION 6.1. The Railroad hereby covenants and agrees to make payment of the reasonable expenses and compensation of the Trustee,

and of all taxes, assessments and governmental charges herein mentioned for which the Trustee, as such, may be liable and of the rentals and of the other amounts provided for herein.

SECTION 6.2. The Railroad covenants, agrees and guarantees that the holder of each of the Trust Certificates shall receive the principal sum thereof, in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, when and as the same shall become due and payable, in accordance with the provisions thereof or of this Agreement (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable), and shall receive dividends thereon in like money at the rate specified therein from the date thereof, to the date of maturity of such Trust Certificate, at the times and place and otherwise as expressed in the Trust Certificates and in the dividend warrants (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable); and the Railroad further covenants and agrees to endorse upon each of the Trust Certificates, at or before the issuance and delivery thereof by the Trustee, its guaranty of the prompt payment of the principal thereof and of the dividends thereon, in substantially the form hereinbefore set forth. Said guaranty so endorsed shall be signed in the name and on behalf of the Railroad by the facsimile signature of its Senior Vice President. In case the officer of the Railroad whose signature shall appear on said guaranty shall cease to be such officer before the Trust Certificates shall have been issued and delivered by the Trustee, or shall not have been acting in such capacity on the date of the Trust Certificates, such guaranty shall nevertheless be as effective and binding upon the Railroad as though the person who signed said guaranty had at all times been such officer.

SECTION 6.3. The Railroad covenants and agrees that it will pay and discharge, or cause to be paid and discharged, or make adequate provision for the satisfaction or discharge of, any debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim which if unpaid might become a lien or charge upon or against any of the Trust Equipment, except upon the leasehold interest of the Railroad therein; but this provision shall not require the payment of any such debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested

in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings, unless such contest will in the judgment of the Trustee materially endanger the rights or interests of the Trustee or of the holders of the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 6.4. The Railroad covenants and agrees to pay the expenses incident to the preparation and execution of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants to be issued hereunder, or connected with the preparation, execution, recording and filing hereof and of any instruments executed under the provisions hereof with respect to the Trust Equipment. The Railroad with all convenient speed will cause this Agreement, all supplements thereto and all statements of new numbers of the Trust Equipment to be duly filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act. The Railroad will from time to time do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register and record any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Trustee for the purposes of proper protection of the title of the Trustee and the rights of the holders of the Trust Certificates and of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof; and the Railroad will promptly furnish to the Trustee certificates or other evidences of filing and recording pursuant to the last preceding sentence, and of any other such filing, registration and recording, and an Opinion or Opinions of Counsel with respect thereto.

SECTION 6.5. The Railroad covenants and agrees from time to time to do all such acts and execute all such instruments of further assurance as it shall be reasonably requested by the Trustee to do or execute for the purpose of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof.

SECTION 6.6. The Railroad covenants that it will make payment of the rentals on account of the Trust Equipment as provided in this Agreement notwithstanding that any of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants shall have been acquired by the Railroad or shall not have been presented for payment.

such wearing out, unsuitableness for use, loss or destruction. Cash deposited with the Trustee pursuant to this Section 4.7 shall be held and applied as provided in Section 4.9 hereof.

The Railroad covenants and agrees to furnish to the Trustee, whenever required by the Trustee, and at least once in every calendar year following the calendar year in which occurs the first delivery of any of the Trust Equipment and during the continuance of the lease provided for herein, an Officer's Certificate stating (1) the amount, description and numbers of the Trust Equipment then covered hereby and showing the Trust Equipment then in actual service, (2) the amount, description and numbers of all that may have become worn out, or that may have become unsuitable for use or lost or destroyed by accident or otherwise since the date of the last preceding statement, and (3) the amount, description and numbers of all then undergoing repairs, other than running repairs, or then withdrawn from use for such repairs, and stating that in the case of all the Trust Equipment repainted or repaired since the date of the last preceding statement the plates or marks required by Section 4.6 hereof have been preserved, or that the same when repainted or repaired have been again plated or marked as required thereby. The Trustee, by its agents, shall have the right once in each calendar year, but shall be under no duty, to inspect, at the expense of the Railroad, the Trust Equipment, and the Railroad covenants in that event to furnish to the Trustee all reasonable facilities for the making of such inspection.

SECTION 4.8. The Railroad, so long as it is not in default hereunder, shall be entitled to the possession of the Trust Equipment from and after delivery thereof to the Railroad, and the use thereof upon the lines of railroad owned or operated by the Railroad (either alone or jointly with another) or by any Affiliate, or upon lines over which the Railroad or any Affiliate shall have trackage or other operating rights, and the Railroad shall also be entitled to permit the use of the Trust Equipment upon connecting and other railroads in the usual interchange of traffic and upon connecting and other railroads over which through service may from time to time be afforded, but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

The Railroad shall not, without first obtaining the written consent of the Trustee, assign or transfer its rights hereunder, or transfer or

sublet the Trust Equipment or any part thereof except to an Affiliate; and the Railroad shall not, without such written consent, except as provided in this Section 4.8, part with the possession of, or suffer or allow to pass out of its possession or control, any of the Trust Equipment. An assignment or transfer to a railroad company or other purchaser which shall acquire all or substantially all the lines of railroad of the Railroad, and which, by execution of an appropriate instrument satisfactory to the Trustee, shall assume and agree to perform each and all of the obligations and covenants of the Railroad hereunder and under the guaranty endorsed on the Trust Certificates, shall not be deemed a breach of this covenant. The appointment of a receiver or receivers in equity or reorganization or a trustee or trustees in bankruptcy or reorganization for the Railroad or for its property shall be deemed an unauthorized assignment unless, prior to any action by the Trustee to exercise the remedies herein provided, such receiver or receivers or trustee or trustees shall be discharged or such receiver or receivers or trustee or trustees shall, pursuant to court order or decree, in writing duly assume and agree to pay or perform each and all of the obligations and covenants of the Railroad hereunder and under the guaranty endorsed on the Trust Certificates, in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such receiver or receivers or trustee or trustees. The Trustee shall have the right to declare the lease provided for herein terminated in case of any unauthorized assignment or transfer of its rights hereunder or in case of any unauthorized transfer or sublease of any of the Trust Equipment. The election of the Trustee to terminate the lease provided for herein shall have the same effect as the retaking of the Trust Equipment by the Trustee as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 4.9. Any units of the Trust Equipment which shall have become worn out or unsuitable in any respect for the use of the Railroad may be released, and it is hereby mutually agreed that at any time hereafter until title thereto shall become vested in the Railroad the Trustee will release any such units of the Trust Equipment upon the filing with it of a Request and an Officer's Certificate which shall describe such units, shall state that they have become worn out or unsuitable for the use of the Railroad, shall state the selling price thereof, and shall specify the Cost and the then Fair Value thereof.

such corporation meets the requirements of the last sentence of Section 7.10 hereof, shall be the successor trustee hereunder without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VIII

MISCELLANEOUS

SECTION 8.1. Any request or other instrument provided by this Agreement to be signed or executed by holders of Trust Certificates may be in any number of concurrent instruments of similar tenor, and may be executed by such holders in person or by an agent or attorney appointed by an instrument in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request or other instrument, or of a writing appointing any such agent or attorney, or of the holding by any person of Trust Certificates, shall be sufficient for any purpose hereof and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by the Trustee under such request or other instrument if made in the following manner, viz.:

(a) The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such request or of any other instrument in writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness to such execution, or by the certificate of any notary public or of any other officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds to be recorded in the state where the acknowledgment may be taken, certifying that the person signing such request or other instrument acknowledged to him the execution thereof.

(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same, may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depository, wheresoever situated, whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory, showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with or exhibited to such depository the Trust Certificates numbered and described

in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

(c) The ownership of fully registered Trust Certificates and Trust Certificates with dividend warrants registered as to principal shall be determined by the registry books to be kept as provided in Section 7.3 hereof.

SECTION 8.2. Nothing expressed or implied herein is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or to give to any person, firm or corporation, other than the parties hereto and the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants, any right, remedy or claim under or by reason of this Agreement or of any term, covenant or condition hereof, and all the terms, covenants, conditions, promises and agreements contained herein shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the parties hereto and their successors and of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 8.3. Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

SECTION 8.4. All demands, notices and communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if personally delivered or mailed by registered mail (a) to the Railroad, to 104 St. Francis Street, Mobile, Alabama 36601, or to such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Trustee in writing by the Railroad and (b) to the Trustee, to 510 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101, or to such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Railroad in writing by the Trustee. An affidavit by any person representing or acting on behalf of the Railroad or the Trustee, as to such mailing, having the registry receipt attached, shall be conclusive evidence of the giving of such demand, notice or communication.

SECTION 8.5. This Agreement has been simultaneously executed in several counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original, and all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

SECTION 8.6. This Agreement shall be deemed to have been executed on the date of the acknowledgment thereof by the officer of the Trustee who signed it on behalf of the Trustee.

SECTION 8.7. The provisions of this Agreement, and all the rights and obligations of the parties hereunder, shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused their names to be signed hereto by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized and their respective corporate seals, duly attested, to be hereunto affixed as of the date first written.

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By



Vice President

ATTEST:

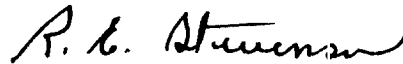


Assistant Secretary

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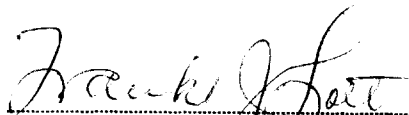
GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY,

By



Senior Vice President

ATTEST:



Assistant Secretary

Vice President and Secretary

[Corporate Seal]

STATE OF MISSOURI }
CITY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.:

On this day of ~~MAY~~, 1972, before me personally appeared
H. W. HARDIN, to me personally known, who, being by me duly
sworn, says that he is a Vice President of ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST
COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is
the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed
and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of
Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing
instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission expires **AUG 1 - 1974**

Louis J. Thym
Notary Public.

LOUIS J. THYM

[Notarial Seal]

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF MOBILE } ss.:

On this ~~2nd~~ day of *March*, 1972, before me personally appeared
R. E. Stevenson, to me personally known, who, being by me duly
sworn, says that he is Senior Vice President of GULF, MOBILE AND
OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing
instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instru-
ment was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority
of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of
the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission expires

My Commission Expires June 30, 1975

J. J. Steiner
Notary Public.

[Notarial Seal]

the Trustee from the Railroad of rentals then or thereafter due and payable, and the Railroad shall be and remain liable for the same until such sums shall have been realized as, with the proceeds of the lease or sale of the Trust Equipment, shall be sufficient for the discharge and payment in full of all the items mentioned in Section 4.4 hereof (other than dividends or interest not then accrued), whether or not they shall have then matured. The holders of a majority in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates shall have the right from time to time to direct which of the proceedings above provided for shall be taken for enforcement of the remedies contained herein.

SECTION 5.3. If, in case of the happening of any event of default, the Trustee shall exercise any of the powers conferred upon it by Sections 5.1 and 5.2 hereof, all payments made by the Railroad to the Trustee hereunder after such event of default, and the proceeds of any judgment collected hereunder from the Railroad by the Trustee, and the proceeds of every sale or lease by the Trustee of any of the Trust Equipment, together with any other sums which may then be held by the Trustee under any of the provisions hereof (other than sums held in trust for the payment of specific Trust Certificates and/or dividend warrants), shall be applied by the Trustee to the payment in the following order of priority: (a) of all proper charges, expenses or advances made or incurred by the Trustee in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, and (b) of the dividends then due, with interest on overdue dividends at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable, and of the principal of all the outstanding Trust Certificates, with interest thereon at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable from the last preceding dividend date, whether such Trust Certificates shall have then matured by their terms or not, all such payments to be in full if such proceeds shall be sufficient, and if not sufficient, then *pro rata* without preference between principal and dividends.

After all such payments shall have been made in full, the title to any of the Trust Equipment remaining unsold shall be conveyed by the Trustee to the Railroad free from any further liabilities or obligations to the Trustee hereunder. If after applying all such sums of money realized by the Trustee as aforesaid there shall remain

any amount due to the Trustee under the provisions hereof, the Railroad agrees to pay the amount of such deficit to the Trustee. If after applying as aforesaid the sums of money realized by the Trustee there shall remain a surplus in the possession of the Trustee, such surplus shall be paid to the Railroad.

SECTION 5.4. If at any time after the principal of all the Trust Certificates shall have been declared and become due and payable or if at any time after the entire amount of rentals shall have been declared and become due and payable, all as in Section 5.1 hereof provided, but before April 1, 1987, all arrears of rent (with interest at the dividend rate upon any overdue installments to the extent legally enforceable), the expenses and reasonable compensation of the Trustee, together with all expenses of the trust occasioned by the Railroad's default, and all other sums which shall have become due and payable by the Railroad hereunder (other than the principal of Trust Certificates and any other rental installments which shall not at the time have matured according to their terms), shall be paid by the Railroad before any sale or lease by the Trustee of any of the Trust Equipment, and every other default in the observance or performance of any covenant or condition hereof shall be made good or secured to the satisfaction of the Trustee, or provision deemed by the Trustee to be adequate shall be made therefor, then, and in every such case, the Trustee, if so requested by the holders of a majority in principal amount of the Trust Certificates then outstanding and which shall not have matured (other than by declaration) according to their terms, shall by written notice to the Railroad waive the default by reason of which there shall have been such declaration or declarations and the consequences of such default, but no such waiver shall extend to or affect any subsequent default or impair any right consequent thereon.

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obligations of the Railroad under the guaranty endorsed on the Trust Certificates. The Railroad hereby waives presentation and demand in respect of any of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants and waives notice of presentation, of demand and of any default in the payment of the principal of and dividends on the Trust Certificates.

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SECTION 5.7. The remedies in this Agreement provided in favor of the Trustee and the holders of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants, or any of them, shall not be deemed exclusive, but shall be cumulative, and shall be in addition to all other remedies in their favor existing at law or in equity.

ARTICLE VI

ADDITIONAL COVENANTS AND AGREEMENTS BY THE RAILROAD

SECTION 6.1. The Railroad hereby covenants and agrees to make payment of the reasonable expenses and compensation of the Trustee,

and of all taxes, assessments and governmental charges herein mentioned for which the Trustee, as such, may be liable and of the rentals and of the other amounts provided for herein.

SECTION 6.2. The Railroad covenants, agrees and guarantees that the holder of each of the Trust Certificates shall receive the principal sum thereof, in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, when and as the same shall become due and payable, in accordance with the provisions thereof or of this Agreement (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable), and shall receive dividends thereon in like money at the rate specified therein from the date thereof, to the date of maturity of such Trust Certificate, at the times and place and otherwise as expressed in the Trust Certificates and in the dividend warrants (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the dividend rate to the extent legally enforceable); and the Railroad further covenants and agrees to endorse upon each of the Trust Certificates, at or before the issuance and delivery thereof by the Trustee, its guaranty of the prompt payment of the principal thereof and of the dividends thereon, in substantially the form hereinbefore set forth. Said guaranty so endorsed shall be signed in the name and on behalf of the Railroad by the facsimile signature of its Senior Vice President. In case the officer of the Railroad whose signature shall appear on said guaranty shall cease to be such officer before the Trust Certificates shall have been issued and delivered by the Trustee, or shall not have been acting in such capacity on the date of the Trust Certificates, such guaranty shall nevertheless be as effective and binding upon the Railroad as though the person who signed said guaranty had at all times been such officer.

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in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings, unless such contest will in the judgment of the Trustee materially endanger the rights or interests of the Trustee or of the holders of the Trust Certificates.

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SECTION 6.5. The Railroad covenants and agrees from time to time to do all such acts and execute all such instruments of further assurance as it shall be reasonably requested by the Trustee to do or execute for the purpose of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof.

SECTION 6.6. The Railroad covenants that it will make payment of the rentals on account of the Trust Equipment as provided in this Agreement notwithstanding that any of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants shall have been acquired by the Railroad or shall not have been presented for payment.

ARTICLE VII
THE TRUSTEE

SECTION 7.1. The Trustee hereby accepts the trusts imposed upon it by this Agreement, and covenants and agrees to perform the same as herein expressed.

SECTION 7.2. The Trustee covenants and agrees to apply and distribute the rentals received by it under Section 4.4(B) hereof (other than sums restored to Deposited Cash from rentals pursuant to Section 4.4(B)(1) hereof) when and as the same shall be received, and to the extent that such rentals shall be sufficient therefor, for the purposes specified in said Section 4.4(B).

SECTION 7.3. The Trustee shall cause to be kept at an agency in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York (which agency may be the office of the Railroad in said Borough and City), books for the registration and transfer of the Trust Certificates; and upon presentation for such purpose the Trustee will register or cause to be registered as hereinbefore provided, under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, any of the Trust Certificates, but not the dividend warrants, if any, attached thereto.

SECTION 7.4. The Trustee shall not be required to undertake any act or duty in the way of insuring, taking care of or taking possession of the Trust Equipment or to undertake any other act or duty under this Agreement until fully indemnified by the Railroad or by one or more of the holders of the Trust Certificates against all liability and expenses. The Trustee shall not be responsible for the filing or recording or refiling or rerecording of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto. The Trustee may issue and deliver Trust Certificates in advance of such filing or recording. In accepting delivery of and making payment for the Trust Equipment hereunder, or in accepting any cash payable hereunder in respect of Trust Equipment, the Trustee may rely upon and shall be fully protected by the documents to be furnished to it under Section 3.4, 4.7 or 4.9 hereof, as the case may be, and shall not be required to make any further investigation of or inquiry concerning the matters covered thereby.

SECTION 7.5. The Trustee shall be under no obligation to take any action for the execution or enforcement of the trust hereby created unless requested thereunto in writing by the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates and unless indemnified to its satisfaction against expense and liability with respect thereto, and unless also furnished with proof satisfactory to it as to the ownership of the Trust Certificates in respect of which any such request may be made; but this provision, in the absence of such request, shall not affect any discretion herein given to the Trustee to determine whether it shall take action in respect of any default hereunder or what action it shall take.

SECTION 7.6. No holder of any Trust Certificate or dividend warrant shall have any right to institute any suit, action or proceeding for the execution and enforcement of the trust hereby created unless, after the aforesaid request in writing by the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates shall have been made to the Trustee, and after indemnity satisfactory to it shall have been provided, and after 90 days shall have elapsed after receipt by the Trustee of such request, it shall decline, fail or neglect to institute any proceedings pursuant thereto. Neither the provisions of this Section 7.6 nor the provisions of Sections 7.5 hereof shall affect or limit in any way the obligations of the Railroad under its guaranty hereinabove provided or the rights of the holders of Trust Certificates or dividend warrants to institute suit for the enforcement of payments due under said guaranty in respect of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants.

SECTION 7.7. The Trustee may for all purposes conclusively assume that the Railroad is not in default under the terms hereof until notified in writing to the contrary by the holders of at least 10% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates, which notice shall distinctly specify the event of default desired to be brought to the attention of the Trustee. As to any fact or matter the manner of determining which is not specifically prescribed herein, the Trustee may for all purposes rely upon an Officer's Certificate as to such fact or matter. The Trustee shall not incur any liability to anyone in relying conclusively on, and in acting upon, any notice, consent, order, cer-

tificate, warrant or other paper or instrument believed by it to be genuine or authentic and to be signed by the proper party or parties.

SECTION 7.8. Any money at any time paid to or held by the Trustee hereunder until paid out by the Trustee as herein provided may be carried by the Trustee on deposit with itself, and the Trustee will allow interest upon any such moneys held by it in trust at the rate generally prevailing among St. Louis, Missouri, banks and trust companies or allowed by it upon deposits of a similar character.

At any time, and from time to time, if at the time there shall be no default under the terms of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto, the Trustee, on Request, shall invest and reinvest Deposited Cash and Replacement Funds held by it in Government Securities, at such prices, including any premium and accrued interest, as are set forth in such Request, such Government Securities to be held by the Trustee in trust for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

The Trustee may, and on Request shall, in the event funds are required for payment against delivery of any Equipment, sell such Government Securities, or any portion thereof, and restore to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds, as the case may be, the proceeds of any such sale up to the amount paid for such Government Securities, including accrued interest.

The Trustee shall restore to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds, as the case may be, out of rent received by it for that purpose under the provisions of Section 4.4(B)(1) hereof, an amount equal to any expenses incurred in connection with any purchase or sale of Government Securities and also an amount equal to any loss of principal incident to the sale or redemption of any Government Securities for a sum less than the amount paid therefor, including accrued interest. The Railroad, if not in default under the terms hereof or any supplement hereto, shall be entitled to receive any profit which may be realized from any sale or redemption of Government Securities or any portion thereof.

SECTION 7.9. The Trustee shall not be liable to anyone for any delay in the delivery of any of the Trust Equipment, or for any default

on the part of the manufacturers thereof or of the Railroad, or for any defect in any of the Trust Equipment or in the title thereto, nor shall anything herein be construed as a warranty on the part of the Trustee in respect thereof or as a representation in respect of the value thereof or in respect of the title thereto.

The Trustee may perform its powers and duties hereunder by or through such attorneys, agents and servants as it shall appoint, and shall be entitled to rely upon the advice of counsel (who may be counsel to the Railroad), and shall be answerable for only its own acts, negligence and wilful defaults and not for the default or misconduct of any attorney, agent or servant appointed by it with reasonable care. The Trustee shall not be responsible in any way for the recitals herein contained or for the execution or validity of this Agreement or of the Trust Certificates (except for its own execution thereof), or for the guaranty by the Railroad, or for any mistake of fact or law.

The Trustee shall be entitled to receive payment of all of its expenses and disbursements hereunder, including reasonable counsel fees, and to receive reasonable compensation for all services rendered by it in the execution of the trust hereby created, all of which shall be paid by the Railroad.

The Trustee in its individual capacity may own, hold and dispose of Trust Certificates and dividend warrants with the same rights which it would have if it were not Trustee.

Any moneys at any time held by the Trustee hereunder shall, until paid out or invested by the Trustee as herein provided, be held by it in trust as herein provided for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 7.10. If at any time the Trustee or any successor to it in the trust hereby created shall desire to divest itself of title to the Trust Equipment, and to terminate its duties and obligations and rights hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, it shall so notify the Railroad in writing, and the Railroad shall thereupon designate in writing to the Trustee a national bank or a trust company, qualified as below specified, to serve until a successor is appointed by the holders of Trust Certificates as hereinafter provided, to which may be assigned the entire right, title and interest of the Trustee or such

successor in the Trust Equipment, and in which may be vested the rights, powers, duties and obligations of the Trustee hereunder and under the Trust Certificates. Upon the transfer and delivery of all moneys and Trust Equipment held by the retiring trustee, and the execution by the retiring trustee of such instruments of transfer as may be reasonably requested by the successor trustee, and upon acceptance by the successor trustee of the assignment and of the trust, the retiring trustee shall be relieved and discharged of all the title, rights, powers, duties and obligations of the trust hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, and the same shall become vested in such successor trustee, and every provision hereof applicable to the retiring trustee shall apply to such successor trustee with like effect as if such successor trustee had been originally named herein in the place and stead of the retiring trustee. In the event that the Railroad shall fail to designate such a successor trustee by instrument in writing delivered to the retiring trustee within two weeks from the time of receiving such notice in writing from the retiring trustee, the retiring trustee may thereupon designate such successor trustee. The foregoing provisions are, however, subject to the right of the holders of the majority in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates by an instrument in writing to appoint any successor trustee, if such appointment is made within one year from the date of the giving of such notice to the Railroad. The Railroad shall execute all writings recognizing the transfer of title as aforesaid and all instruments of further assurance or otherwise as reasonably may be requested by the successor trustee in the premises, and will do and perform any and all acts necessary to establish and maintain the title and rights of the successor trustee in and to the Trust Equipment. Every successor trustee shall be a national bank or a trust company doing business in St. Louis, Missouri, or in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, having a capital and surplus aggregating at least \$3,000,000, if there be such national bank or trust company willing and able to accept the trust upon reasonable and customary terms and duly qualified to act as such trustee.

SECTION 7.11. Any corporation resulting from any merger or consolidation to which the Trustee or any successor to it shall be a party, or any corporation in any manner succeeding to all or substantially all of the business of the Trustee or any successor trustee, provided

such corporation meets the requirements of the last sentence of Section 7.10 hereof, shall be the successor trustee hereunder without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE VIII

MISCELLANEOUS

SECTION 8.1. Any request or other instrument provided by this Agreement to be signed or executed by holders of Trust Certificates may be in any number of concurrent instruments of similar tenor, and may be executed by such holders in person or by an agent or attorney appointed by an instrument in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request or other instrument, or of a writing appointing any such agent or attorney, or of the holding by any person of Trust Certificates, shall be sufficient for any purpose hereof and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by the Trustee under such request or other instrument if made in the following manner, viz.:

(a) The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such request or of any other instrument in writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness to such execution, or by the certificate of any notary public or of any other officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds to be recorded in the state where the acknowledgment may be taken, certifying that the person signing such request or other instrument acknowledged to him the execution thereof.

(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same, may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depository, wheresoever situated, whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory, showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with or exhibited to such depository the Trust Certificates numbered and described

in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

(c) The ownership of fully registered Trust Certificates and Trust Certificates with dividend warrants registered as to principal shall be determined by the registry books to be kept as provided in Section 7.3 hereof.

SECTION 8.2. Nothing expressed or implied herein is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or to give to any person, firm or corporation, other than the parties hereto and the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants, any right, remedy or claim under or by reason of this Agreement or of any term, covenant or condition hereof, and all the terms, covenants, conditions, promises and agreements contained herein shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the parties hereto and their successors and of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 8.3. Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

SECTION 8.4. All demands, notices and communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if personally delivered or mailed by registered mail (a) to the Railroad, to 104 St. Francis Street, Mobile, Alabama 36601, or to such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Trustee in writing by the Railroad and (b) to the Trustee, to 510 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101, or to such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Railroad in writing by the Trustee. An affidavit by any person representing or acting on behalf of the Railroad or the Trustee, as to such mailing, having the registry receipt attached, shall be conclusive evidence of the giving of such demand, notice or communication.

SECTION 8.5. This Agreement has been simultaneously executed in several counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original, and all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

SECTION 8.6. This Agreement shall be deemed to have been executed on the date of the acknowledgment thereof by the officer of the Trustee who signed it on behalf of the Trustee.

SECTION 8.7. The provisions of this Agreement, and all the rights and obligations of the parties hereunder, shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused their names to be signed hereto by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized and their respective corporate seals, duly attested, to be hereunto affixed as of the date first written.

ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By



Vice President

ATTEST:

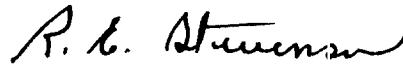


Assistant Secretary

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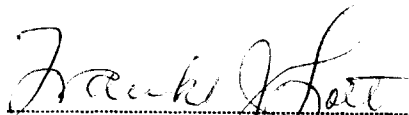
GULF, MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY,

By



Senior Vice President

ATTEST:



Assistant Secretary

Vice President and Secretary

[Corporate Seal]

STATE OF MISSOURI }
CITY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.:

On this day of ~~MAY~~, 1972, before me personally appeared
H. W. HARDIN, to me personally known, who, being by me duly
sworn, says that he is a Vice President of ST. LOUIS UNION TRUST
COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is
the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed
and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of
Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing
instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission expires **AUG 1 - 1974**

Louis J. Thym
Notary Public.

LOUIS J. THYM

[Notarial Seal]

STATE OF ALABAMA }
COUNTY OF MOBILE } ss.:

On this ~~2nd~~ day of *March*, 1972, before me personally appeared
R. E. Stevenson, to me personally known, who, being by me duly
sworn, says that he is Senior Vice President of GULF, MOBILE AND
OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing
instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instru-
ment was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority
of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of
the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission expires

My Commission Expires June 30, 1975

J. J. Steiner
Notary Public.

[Notarial Seal]

EXHIBIT A

<u>Number of Units</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Estimated Cost</u>
15	2000 H.P. Model GP 38-2 Diesel Electric Locomotives, numbered GM&O 740-754, both inclusive (General Motors Corporation (Electro-Motive Division), Builder), at an estimated cost of \$237,206 per unit	\$3,558,090
100	70-Ton 5,825 cubic foot capacity Wood Chip Hopper Cars Numbered GM&O 866300-866399, both inclusive (Greenville Steel Car Company, Builder), at an estimated cost of \$17,225.50 per unit	1,722,550
		<u>\$5,280,640</u>